



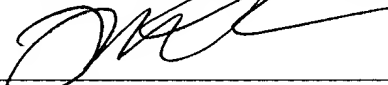
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This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed December 18, 2006, in the above-mentioned application. The Applicants submit herewith a Request for Continued Examination. The Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following remarks.